Statewide MRW Meeting Local Solid Waste Financial Assistance (LSWFA) Program Update May 1, 2018

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Why I am here...

LSWFA funds a lot of MRW work

- 19 LSWFA implementation all MRW
- 27 LSWFA implementation portion MRW
- Most enforcement have MRW facility compliance



Challenging Times!

- Very late capital budget
- Only \$10 million
- Rule Updates
- Staff Turnover



Current LSWFA Cycle

108 Applications were submitted

14 fully executed

19 with local gov for signature



Looking forward...

- Waste Reduction & Recycling Education (WRRED) Grants
- Working with LSWFA committee
- Restored Funding for 2019-2021 biennium



Waste Reduction & Recycling Education (WRRED) Grants

- Public education programs on litter, WRR, and composting (focus on litter tax products)
- \$60,000 max (state), \$200,000 available
- Competitive 25% match grants
- Local Govs and not-for-profits eligible
- Guidelines out in mid-May
- Grant period: July 1, 2018-June 30, 2019
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LSWFA Workgroup

- 4 Planning implementation representatives
- 4 Solid Waste Enforcement Representatives
- Advisory committee
- Guidance on LSWFA administration
- Meeting May 29 after W2RAC



Restored LSWFA Funding

- Laurie Davies will be at May 29 LSWFA workgroup meeting to seek approval
- #1 program priority
- Agency support
- Thank you for telling your story





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